IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 5980

Takuji MAEDA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003 1475A

Serial No. 10/685,539 : Group Art Unit 2193

Filed October 16, 2003 : Examiner Michael D. Yaary

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of July 21, 2008. The fee of \$130.00 is to be charged to the credit card.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975, with the EXCEPTION of deficiencies in fees for multiple dependent claims in new applications.

Respectfully submitted,

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